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Build a Hospital.

A hospital for the benefit of persons who become afflicted in Adair and adjoining counties should be established at Columbia. We have competent surgeons and physicians here, who would take a pride in such an institution, and its convenience would be a great saving to the people. There has not been a year for a long time but a large sum of money has been expended in Louisville by afflicted persons, when the same attention could have been given here at home, but for the lack of a building to care for the sick. This building would have to be erected with money subscribed as stock, and those who have looked into the cost of such an institution believe that it would pay a good dividend on the investment. It would be a move that would require an effort, but if the sentiment of those who are able to invest should become manifest, it will be no trouble to find a competent person to solicit the necessary stock. An organization would have to be perfected and a board of directors elected. Such a building is certainly needed in Columbia, and we believe it would be a paying investment, as patients would come from all adjoining counties.

A Tract of Land.

I have forty-eight and three quarter acres of good land for sale. On the land is a dwelling and barn, good water. Will sell cheap.

Odis Lewis, Glensfork, Ky., 45-2t

Dedication Service.

The Methodist Church at Jamestown, Ky., will be dedicated the First Sunday in September. This church has been completed for some time but has never been dedicated. The dedication services will be in charge of Rev. S. G. Shelly, Presiding Elder of the Columbia District, and Rev. Harry Upchurch, Pastor of the church.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy this service. Sermon by Rev. S. G. Shelly, at 11 a. m., and Dinner on the ground. Also sermon by Rev. Shelly, at 1.30 p. m.

Double Wedding.

Last Friday afternoon week, Mr. Jas. A. Rosson, of Rugby, and Miss Eula Lee Stapp, of Picnic, Mr. Charles Morrison, of Gadsby, and Miss Virgie Lee Patterson, of Picnic, drove to the residence of Eld. Z. T. Williams where both couples were happily married. They are excellent young people, industrious and popular, as their many friends will testify.

Messrs J. A. Willis and W. C. Murrell have the contract to erect a wholesale house in which Mr. Vance Gowdy Campbellsville, will occupy. It will be located on the lot fronting the Russell Creek Roller Mill. The foundation has been laid for sometime and the wood work will start in about three weeks. In the meantime Messrs Willis and Murrell will make some valuable improvements on the dwelling of Mr. W. G. McKinley, who lives two miles out on the Russell Springs road.

Mr. Ewel W. Daugherty, who was a student in Lindsey-Wilson, some years ago, was married recently to Miss Bess House, of Russellville. The groom is said to be one of the most successful young men of Glasgow.

A series of meetings will commence at the Christian church the fourth Sunday in this month. Eld. Z. T. Williams will be assisted by Eld. Powell who is said to be a very entertaining speaker and a zealous minister.

Mr. W. R. Watson, Absher, expects to remove from Adair county soon. He is a good citizen and will be missed by his many friends.

The new election officers for Adair county are John Lee Walker, Democrat, W. T. Price, Republican.

Pike to Creelsboro.

The people of Creelsboro and its vicinity are in dead earnest about building a pike to Glensville, this county. They are taking subscriptions and at this time have eighteen thousand dollars subscribed. They propose to build the pike to Bryan Miller's store, which is two miles above Glensville, but they will not start the work until a sufficient amount of money has been paid in to build it to that point. Of course it is expected and it is believed that the Glensfork people will build to the store. It is also believed that Columbia and the citizens living along the route from here to Glensville will build it to that point. This pike would connect us with Cumberland river. This done all our heavy freight could be shipped by water to Creelsboro, making our freight bills about one-half what they are. This is a project worth the attention of the business men of Columbia, and the people along the line.

The best line of Ladies skirts at lowest price at

Sinclair's.

Held Over.

Dr. W. F. Owsley, of Burkesville, who was a member of the Cumberland county Draft Board, and who is charged with accepting bribes from registrants, was given an examining trial before United States Commissioner W. S. Smith, at Glasgow, last Thursday, and held to the Federal Grand Jury, in the sum of one thousand dollars. The bond was promptly signed. A. G. Murphy, Attorney. W. G. King W. C. Stearnes, Sellie Bakea and Jack Parrish are the principal witnesses for the Government, all of them swearing that Dr. Owsley accepted money and checks from them.

It has been suggested that on account of the destruction of the streets of Columbia that all automobiles be licensed. Those who advocate the levying of a license tax say that the motor machines are very destructive, more so than any other kind of vehicle, and in justice to the property tax payers, who keep up the streets, the machine owners, who operate them, should pay a license. The smaller the car the less the tax seems to be the idea. This is a matter for the City Fathers to consider.

The Louisville Post announced, last Friday, that on the following day Hon. M. Rey Yarberry, of that city, would be married, Champaign, Ill., to Miss Daisy Harter, a sweetheart of twenty years standing. The bride is a Democrat and her former home was in Barren, county. Mr. Yarberry is known to be an ardent Republican, a former resident of Columbia.

The Lindsey-Wilson opened Tuesday, this day, with a splendid faculty. The attendance was up to the average for the opening, and students will continue to arrive for several weeks. Prof. R. V. Bennett, who is the principal, is a graduate of Vanderbilt and other noted institutions. He says the outlook for a large number of students is good.

The Graded School had an auspicious opening Monday, perhaps one hundred and fifty pupils were enrolled. The school starts with a splendid corps of teachers. Prof. A. P. Prather, who is the Superintendent, is a scholarly gentleman and has quite a bit of experience in school work.

Mr. Claud Willis, writing us from Dayton, Ohio, enclosing his subscription for The News, states that his mother, Mrs. Nora Willis, is spending the week of August the 25th with him, and that they are visiting many places of interest. They will visit Cincinnati before Mrs. Willis returns home.

Mrs. M. E. Dohoney, of Elida, New Mexico, encloses her subscription for a renewal. Her letter shows that she is dealing in oil stocks, and she seems highly pleased with her investments.

\$30,000 Express Robbery.

Glasgow, Ky., Aug. 28—Charged with having robbed a North Dakota express company of \$30,000, a man giving the name of T. J. Jingerman, but whose true name is said to be Leach, was arrested at the home of Emmett Woods, on the Jackson Highway, two miles north of here, by detectives from Nashville. Last Monday Jingerman got out of an automobile in which two men and two women were riding, and paid in advance for two weeks' board at the Woods place. His companions went to Nashville where they were arrested and are said to have revealed Jingerman whereabouts.

Arm Amputated.

A twelve year old son of Jas. Alley, who lives near Garlin, met with a very serious accident last Tuesday afternoon. He was en route home from school, and meeting with the road machine, it is believed that he undertook to ride the roller, and while on it, he fell between the machine and the roller and the latter passed over his body. His left arm was so badly crushed that it had to be amputated. Drs. Flowers and Miller being the surgeons. His right arm was also badly hurt and he was bruised about the body.

For Sale.

A Ford touring car, good as new. Dr. O. P. Miller, Columbia, Ky.

Marriage Announced.

Announcements of the marriage of Miss Minnie Belle Merigold, of Paducah, to Mr. Wm. Edward Bradshaw, of Montpellier, this county, have been received here. The ceremony took place at the bride's home on Friday, July 11, 1919.

The couple will have rooms at the Waterson Hotel, Louisville. The groom is a popular traveling salesman for the Chase Bag Co., St. Louis, Mo. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradshaw. He and his bride have the best wishes of many Adair county friends.

215 Acre Farm for Sale.

4 1/2 miles north of Greensburg, Ky. Well improved, well watered, good limestone soil, 20 acres first bottom land.

J. C. Hodges, Greensburg, Ky. 45-4t

There are only two persons now living in Columbia who were present and waited upon cholera patients when the epidemic broke out in the hotel the last day of August, 1873—W. C. and J. E. Murrell. Dr. J. N. Page was here at intervals had his drug store open, that medicine could be secured.

A very harmonious Democratic Convention was held here last Saturday and a bunch of delegates will leave this Tuesday night for the State Convention which will convene in Louisville at 12 m., on the following day.

We sell a well gotten up oil, Gas, and mineral lease for \$2.50 per hundred.

Last Saturday week's Louisville Post contained a life-size picture of Miss Frances Garnett, daughter of General and Mrs. Jas. Garnett, who is a student in the East and will finish this school year.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Sold by Paul Drug Co. Adv

One and one-half will be charged persons who will attend the State Fair by all railroads in Kentucky, and also from Cincinnati and from Jellico, Tennessee.

Death of an Excellent Woman.

On Tuesday morning, August 19, 1919, Mrs. Mary A. Bell, who was the widow of John Bell, died at her late home, Nell, Adair county. She was seventy years old, lacking one week, and the immediate cause of her demise was a stroke of paralysis. She was the mother of Mrs. S. A. Taylor, Joopa, Luther, C. A., J. C., C. P. Bell, all of Adair Metcalfe and Barren counties. Mrs. Bell was a Miss Walker before her marriage, and was a sister of the late Mrs. Kizzie Russell, of this place. She was a devoted Christian woman, a member of the Baptist Church for many years.

She was a kind and affectionate mother, and will be greatly missed by her devoted children. Every body in the neighborhood was her friend and she will be greatly missed not only by her children and other relatives, but by the whole community.

The funeral services were preached by Rev. Pardue, who paid high tribute to the memory of the deceased.

The interment was at Nell, a large number of friends being present.

I have a truck I wish to sell or exchange for Ford car. See me at E. L. Sinclair & Co.'s Store.

A. L. Garrett.

Magazines.

Mrs. Albia L. Eubank will be glad to take your order for The Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post, Country Gentleman, McCall's or any others you may want. Post Office Box 212.

Killed by Lightning.

Last Friday afternoon, while a storm was raging, lightning struck the house of Mr. Jeff Jesse, who lives at Breeding, killed his wife and injured several children. All the hair on the head of one of the children was burned off, and several others badly shocked. Besides her husband Mrs. Jesse leaves seven children. The news of the killing of Mrs. Jesse spread, and many friends called at the home.

Dwellings for rent are very scarce in Columbia. People are here every week, wanting to locate, but they fail to secure a house. The fact is, there are no vacant lots upon which dwellings could be erected. Furthermore, there will not be any until streets are opened. The only way for this town to grow is for the people who own building sites, is to open their lots with streets. Nice lots inside the corporate limits would bring good money.

Middy waists only at \$1.00 at Sinclair's.

Mr. T. W. Buchanan, of the Buchanan Lyon Company, Campbellsville, was here last Friday, in company with Mr. Wm. Hobson. They were enroute to Russell Springs, to attend a road meeting. The people of Columbia had better get busy. A move is now on foot to connect Russell Springs, by pike, with Knifley, giving a clear shoot to Campbellsville. We need a pike to the Springs, giving us all pike to the river.

The lot sale, recently pulled off at Campbellsville, the lots from the Lyon addition, brought \$13,850.00. The free lot was drawn by Mrs. Clate Pyle, who, if we mistake not, is a daughter-in-law of Mr. Charles Pyle, a former Adair county citizen.

Mr. Sam Burdette sold at Russell Springs, last Saturday, 34 yearling and two year old mules, at prices ranging from \$75.00 to \$200 per head. He bought one high class mare mule, 6 years old, at \$225.

Joe Nat Conover's sale, last Monday was largely attended, and all the household goods sold well. The residence and lot brought \$3,410. J. S. Breeding was the purchaser.

John Burton sold a mule colt Monday for \$110. Ed Hood and Horace Murrell sold one each at \$110.

Democratic Convention.

Pursuant to a call, Democrats of Adair county assembled at the courthouse, last Saturday afternoon, in obedience to a call issued by the State Central Committee, the object of the meeting being to select delegates to attend a State convention which will meet in Louisville, Thursday, September 4.

Mr. T. E. Jeffries, Chairman of the County Committee, called the convention to order, stating its object. Whereupon, Gordon Montgomery was elected to preside over the meeting, and J. E. Murrell was selected Secretary.

On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee on resolutions: L. C. Winfrey, Judge Rollin Hurt, M. O. Stevenson, Clarence Page, J. T. Goodman.

The committee retired and in a short time reported as follows:

Resolved, that the Democracy of Adair county, in convention assembled, approve the call of this convention, and that to be held, at Louisville, Ky., on September 4, 1919, and, further, endorse the candidates for the State offices, selected by the Democratic party at the late primary, held for that purpose, in the state of Kentucky.

Resolved: That the following persons be selected and appointed delegates from the Democratic party of Adair county to the convention of the Democracy of the State to be held at Louisville, Ky., on September 4, 1919, and are authorized to cast the thirty-four votes, to which the Democrats of Adair county, are entitled, in said convention, upon all the questions which may arise in said convention, viz.:—N. M. Tutt, J. F. Montgomery, M. Cravens, Dr. J. N. Page, J. E. Murrell, J. P. Dohoney, Sr., John W. Flowers, Jas. Suddarth, H. D. Murray, S. H. Mitchell, Gordon Montgomery, G. R. Reed, John Lee Walker, L. C. Winfrey, N. T. Mercer, Dr. S. P. Miller, Dr. W. F. Cartwright, H. A. Walker, D. E. Phelps, Ezra Cheatham, Geo. H. Nell, Gus Jeffries, Walter Ingram, A. O. Taylor, Fred Hill, T. E. Jeffries, Lee Grissom, S. F. Eubank, Ralph Hurt, Albia Eubank Smith Gill, Samuel Jeffries, John D. Lowe, H. T. Walker, Thos. Faulkner, James Black, John N. Conover, B. E. Rowe, John C. Dohoney, A. J. Stotts, Sam Burdette, A. G. Todd, W. R. Myers, J. B. Coffey, Elsey Young, Noah Loy, Geo. Stevenson, G. B. Smith, Braxton Massie, Bert Epperson, Jas. Willis, Foree Hood, Dr. Garlin Grissom, Champ Butler, J. W. Tupman, A. B. Cox, Sherrod Hatcher, William Todd, R. H. Price, Melvin Conover, J. R. Garnett, Walker Dickerson, Burton Yates, John Holladay, Alvin Loy, Leslie Rosenbaum, Munford Lewis, J. W. Burbridge, J. B. Loy, R. W. Hurt, Robert Loy, Richard McClister, W. R. Taylor, Ed Johnson, J. V. Dudley, H. K. Walkup, Stephen Wilkinson, J. F. Abrel, Robert Willis, James Jones, Joseph Aaron, Bryan Miller, N. B. Kealey, Granville Morgan, Albert Bryant, Charlie Powell, Robert Bailey, Milton Powell, Erastus McKinley, Quintillion Montgomery, Matthew Leach, James Redman, Jas. H. Goff, Ben Evans, Cassius Breeding, Welby Williams, C. W. Bryant, John Beard, W. F. Neat, Finis Neal, Otho Pelley, John Corneal, Samuel Workman, Thos. Jones, Welby Ellis, E. M. Burton, Jasper Doss, Emmett Goode, Stephen Goode, George Walker, Van B. Dunbar, Henry Squires, J. R. Christie, R. A. Cooley, Ben Thomas, Garlin Weatherford, Ben Grant, W. A. Humphress, Horace Murrell, Hardin Feese, Willie Thomas, E. C. Page, J. W. Sublett, T. I. Smith, Dr. N. M. Hancock, Dr. E. B. Atkinson, Wood Judd, T. T. Tupman, Wyatt Feese, Jas. Tutt, Jr., Albert Mercer, George Cheatham, George Atkins, B. W. Shirley, R. L. Caldwell, W. E. Wilmore, W. L. Grady, James Gilpin, Baseom Jones, Adolphus Wheeler, Bud Fletcher, Elmer Kean, Dr. S. S. Simmons, Ed Hill, John W. Reece, Dr. Holland Simpson, Roy Walker, G. W. Dillon.

Farmer's Union.

Mr. J. V. Dudley, who is one of the leading spirits of the Farmer's Union organization, and is also the correspondent of this paper, from Montpellier, writes us concerning a short article we published last week concerning the statements of a speaker, who addressed the Union at Cane Valley. Mr. Dudley misconstrued our article. We did not say one word against the operation nor the organization of Unions.

If we were correctly informed the speaker told the audience to go to Lexington for their needs in the way of merchandise and our conclusion was, as the Farmer's Union had a store at Cane Valley, it was the one for local farmers, especially those who are members of the Union to patronize. We are still of that opinion. We further believe that the organization can sell just as cheap in their Adair County stores as can be bought at Lexington. It was an effort to drive away home trade that the News objected to and we thought every farmer would so understand the article which appeared in the paper last week.

The Farmers Union, in our judgment, is encouraged throughout Adair County, and so far, we have never heard a man kicking against the organization.

We hope the above reasons for publishing the article last week will be satisfactory to Mr. Dudley.

Joseph Shive, R. L. Campbell, John Patterson, U. G. Whitlock, Finis Strange, Zach Hayes, John G. Sublett, M. L. Smith, S. I. Blair, Tompi Goodman, Mont Stevenson, Rollin Hurt, J. V. White and all other Democrats of Adair Co., who may attend said convention.

An adjournment followed. Gordon Montgomery, Chairman, J. E. Murrell, Secretary.

The Cane Valley band will play for the reunion at Bliss Thursday and Friday. Let all soldiers and the entire county turn out.

Bingham Moore.

Will Leave on a Vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. B. T. Watson will leave Wednesday night for New York. They go to visit their son, Lieut. R. B. Watson, M. D. who has charge of the Naval Hospital at Far Rockaway Beach on Long Island. He was recently promoted and given charge there.

On their return trip they expect to come up the Hudson to Albany and across to Niagara Falls, taking a boat at Buffalo to Cleveland, Ohio, and then to Akron, to see Tarlton Watson and the Baby Tarlton.

New lot of crepe de chine and Georgetowne waists at the best prices at E. L. Sinclair & Co.

Rev. T. M. Hawes, who was then pastor of the Highland Presbyterian Church, Louisville, died suddenly last Friday at Oakland, Fla., where he had gone for the benefit of health. Dr. Hawes was an able minister, and accomplished orator. He was personally known to a number of Columbians.

W. L. Grady will give a colt show on the public square in Columbia the first Monday in Oct. Premiums of \$75.00 will be given to owners of four best colts by Bohemian Leader. Bring in your colts. It will be the best show ever pulled off on the square.

The next regular meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 96, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held on Friday night September, 6.

Mr. J. T. Goodman will please accept our thanks for a lot of delicious paw paws.

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL.

Mr. Leon Lewis is now employed in Toledo, Ohio, and Mr. Chelcie Barger in Akron, Ohio.

Mr. Sam Lewis has returned from a very pleasant visit to relatives in Philadelphia.